

## MISSOURIANS TO HOLD DINNERS FOR HUNGRY CHILDREN

Stew, cocoa and bread, served in tin army plates and cups, on a plain board table.

Not exactly a Roman banquet, and emphatically not a three-times-a-day, day-in-and-day-out diet that American children would tolerate.

Yet this poor meal is the big event of the day for 3,500,000 starving little children of Europe; the one thing that brings smiles to faces made somber before their time by hardship and suffering. For that frugal repast means the difference to them between life and death—the slow and terrible death of starvation and exposure.

Citizens of Missouri in every section of the state will have the opportunity to know just how it feels to eat such a meal, according to the plans of the Missouri European Relief Council, as announced by State Chairman Murray Carlton of St. Louis, which provides for holding of "plate dinners" to cost each guest between \$20 and \$100 a plate. Every penny of the proceeds will go to the European Relief Council. The actual cost of the meal will be 22 cents.

St. Louis commences the plate dinner campaign with a \$100 dinner on February 8. Similar dinners are being arranged by the chairmen of the various counties and districts throughout the state, the dates to be selected locally.

## Invisible Guests

They are knocking at your doors. 3,500,000 strong they come, a pitiful army of helpless childhood, knocking on the doorways of your hearts.

WILL THEY KNOCK IN VAIN, OR WILL YOU OPEN THE DOOR AND TAKE THEM IN?

Make them a member of your family; give them a place at your table.

If you don't they must surely die outside your barred doors.

JOIN THE INVISIBLE GUEST CLUB.

Send your check to E. B. Pryor, State Treasurer, Missouri European Relief Council, St. Louis, Mo. A subscription of \$10, which will feed a child until the next harvest, entitles you to a certificate of membership in the Invisible Guest Club, signed by Herbert Hoover, National Chairman of the European Relief Council.

## NATION IS WELL ABLE TO GIVE, SAYS HOOVER

America can well afford to give to the cause of the European Relief Council's fund for \$33,000,000 to aid the millions of starving children of Europe, despite the present period of falling prices and decrease in wages, according to Herbert Hoover, the man who taught Americans how to economize.

"We should be the most cheerful country in the world and we do have the real foundation of cheerful giving," Mr. Hoover said. "We have in our warehouses and on our farms today 18 months' supply of food for the entire American people. We have another harvest coming within eight months. Our shelves are over-loaded with clothing; our warehouses with raw material; we have ample coal and our people are warmly housed. If there is any hunger or cold in the United States this winter it is due to the foolish functioning of either our social, economic or political systems. "We do not deserve the name of intelligent men and women if we cannot overcome this self-made handicap at home and still do our duty abroad.

## Self Denial Days Planned in State

Every man, woman and child has been called upon by proclamation of Governor Hyde to join in "Self Denial Day," to be held locally throughout Missouri for the benefit of the European Relief Council campaign to save the 3,500,000 little children of Eastern Europe, who will starve to death unless America raises \$33,000,000 to feed them through the winter.

Hundreds of communities in the state will hold Self Denial Days, the dates to be fixed locally by the chairmen of the campaign in the various districts and counties.

Each school child will be asked to deny himself something on that day and give the money saved to the European Relief Council. A dime donated will feed one child for a day.

Patrons of restaurants will be requested to forget desert on that day and give the money saved. Housewives will be particularly asked to make some saving in ordering the food for that day so that the difference may go to feed a starving orphan of Europe.

## Warns About Colds, Coughs And Sneezes

Now is a particularly good time to watch your health, according to Dr. M. P. Ravenel, president of the American Public Health Association and professor in the School of Medicine of the University of Missouri.

This is the time of year when ailments of the upper respiratory tract are much in evidence. It is also the time when more serious respiratory diseases, like pneumonia and pleurisy, are prevalent. The changeable weather of the present winter, with its warm, damp days followed by cold winds, is particularly trying.

It must be remembered, however, that the weather is not the final cause of colds, coughs, or pneumonia, but that all of them come from infection with germs, some of which are well known. The weather, with its sudden changes from warm to cold, does, however, lower our vitality and make us predisposed to infection.

It is particularly hard to dress properly in changeable weather. If one dresses too warmly, one becomes over-heated, and chilling results with the evaporation of the perspiration. It is better always to have one's underwear and suits of moderate thickness only, so that the changes can then be readily met and compensated for by overcoat and wraps.

One should particularly at such times avoid crowds. These affections of the respiratory tract are spread by minute particles of sputum which are thrown out particularly during coughing and sneezing. If one has never observed this, let him sneeze against a looking glass, and the drops of sputum will be plainly demonstrated. The nose and mouth should always be covered when sneezing and coughing. A person who coughs and sneezes without this precaution is a menace to the community and should be avoided.

Over-eating predisposes to these affections. The diet should be nourishing, but easily digested. One should not forget to drink water in winter time. We do not lose so much water by the skin as in summer, and consequently do not feel thirst so keenly, hence we are very apt to neglect the drinking of water.

By increasing its number of active members to 1,004 the State Historical Society of Missouri has become the largest organization of its kind west of the Mississippi River, in number of active members. Iowa ranks next with 1,000.

## A GOOD FRIEND

A good friend stands by you when in need. Ste. Genevieve people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. L. A. Boyer, corner S. 4th & Gabourie Streets endorsed Doan's three years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

"Doan's Kidney Pills have done me a world of good and I am glad to recommend them," says Mr. Boyer. "At times my back has been lame and painful. Nights I couldn't sleep and mornings I would feel more tired than before going to bed. The kidney secretions were retarded and painful in passage. I tried different remedies for relief, but Doan's Kidney Pills did me more good than all the other medicines. I got Doan's at Rutledge's Drug Store." (Statement given July 7, 1916.)

On March 3, 1920, Mr. Boyer said: "My faith in Doan's Kidney Pills is the same today as it was in 1916 when I told of my experience with them. I have great faith in their curative powers."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. adv

A. D. Walker of Memphis, Mo., has sold to a California poultry financier for \$1,000 a 3-year-old turkey weighing 53 pounds, which was adjudged the champion bird of the United States at the New York poultry show last month.

## Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss. In the Circuit Court of Ste. Genevieve County, Mo. Howard S. Price, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph C. Williams and Ellen Williams, his wife, Charles Williams, his wife, Annie Bonner, and Quiet Title Defendants.

The State of Missouri to the above named or described defendants greeting: You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Ste. Genevieve County, Missouri, effecting the title to the following described lands and tenements, situated, lying and being in the County of Ste. Genevieve and State of Missouri to wit: All of the north west quarter of the north west quarter of section fourteen and the north half of the south west quarter of the north west quarter of section fourteen, and all of the east half of the north east quarter of section fifteen, all of the south west quarter of section fifteen, all of the south east quarter of section fifteen, all of the south west quarter of section sixteen, all of the south east quarter of section sixteen, Range seven east, known as the touch tract containing One Hundred and Eighty acres more or less.

Which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the courthouse in the City of Ste. Genevieve in the county and state aforesaid on the 25th day of April 1921 when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

Given under my hand this 25th day of January, 1921.

FELIX J. RIGDON, Clerk Circuit Court.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss. County of Ste. Genevieve, ss. In the Probate Court to February Term, 1921.

In the matter of the estate of August J. Harter, deceased. Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of August J. Harter, deceased, that application will be made at the next term of the Probate Court of the County of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, to-wit: On the 15th day of February, 1921, for an order of sale to pay debts of the said August J. Harter, deceased.

Part W. 1/2 N. E. 1/4, of Sec. 4 Twp. 35 R. 8 Sec. 33 Twp. 36 R. 8 cont. 70.73 acres. W. 1/2 S. W. 1/4 Sec. 34 Twp. 36 R. 8 cont. 60.00 acres.

When and where all persons interested may attend and show cause, if any they have, why said real estate should not be sold for the purposes aforesaid.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1921.

NELLIE HARTER, Administratrix

January 15, 1921.

The Good Neighbor.

Our happiness depends perhaps three quarters on ourselves and one quarter on our neighbors. There are exceptional persons who can be happy, whatever the neighborhood, just as there are exceptional persons who will contrive to make themselves miserable, whatever the neighborhood; but for a person of normally good disposition whose happiness when he is surrounded by good neighbors might be reckoned at ninety per cent the exchange of good neighbors for disagreeable neighbors ought not to reduce happiness by more than twenty-five per cent.

The good neighbor must necessarily have a friendly disposition. Many people, though friendly enough in their feelings, are so occupied with their own affairs as to find no time to give expression to their friendliness. They are neighbors of the negative sort; they do not make life unpleasant for others in the community, but neither do they contribute much to it. Almost anyone can name two or three persons in his neighborhood who are distinctly good neighbors. They will not always be the persons who do the most entertaining—for that is often as much a matter of affluence as of friendliness—but they will be the persons who in casual and frequent ways show sympathetic interest, a consciousness of their neighbors' lives and purposes, and most of all, a spirit of kindness to the young people of the family. Good neighbors, besides manifesting their good will in those ways, are sparing of criticism, refrain from unkind and sharp comments and try to add to the community's store of cheerfulness rather than to its fund of spiteful gossip.

Do not be a good neighbor only when your neighbor is in trouble. Let him see that when he meets with good fortune you rejoice with him. Do not fight shy of him because his fortune has been better than yours; do not give way to envy or jealousy. But always show a special consideration for the less fortunate. They are the ones who most need you as a neighbor.—Ex.

## ANOTHER SWAT FOR THE FLY

Supreme Court of Maine Adds its Voice to Denunciation of Almost Universal Pest.

The dog having had his day before the Supreme court in Washington, we now find the "busy, curious, thirsty fly" preening his wings in the solemn precincts of the Supreme court of Maine as a co-defendant. He finds few sympathizers. For his size he is the most malodorous and detestable of beasts, and the mischief he does is immeasurable. In this case the court of appeal was told that a summer boarder had engaged rooms at a hotel for two weeks and had left at the end of four days, declaring the flies intolerable. The Supreme court upholds the plaintiff in his refusal to pay for his infested accommodations.

The Journal of the American Medical Association makes the case the text of one of the most exhorting denunciations of the fly that have been penned; but will the fly care? Not a bit of it. "A fly," wrote Emerson in his despair, "is as untamable as a hyena." Probably a fly was teasing the sage of Concord as he wrote. The best thing Josh Billings ever said was "D— a fly!" Shakespeare would have said it if he had thought of it. As a carrier of pestilential putrescence the fly is without a peer. The help of the Supreme court of Maine is welcome in putting him down.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

## WILL TAKE LAND FROM SEA

People of Holland Meet Problem of Expanding Population in Characteristic Dutch Fashion.

After many years' deliberation the people of Holland have decided that they need more land, and, having reached that decision, they have gone about the acquisition of it with characteristic Dutch energy and determination, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The program contemplates the building of a 30-mile dike across the outlet of the Zuyder zee and gradual reclamation of parts of that body by means of smaller dikes and a filling-in and pumping process. The damming of the north end of the Zuyder zee presents difficulties, not only on account of the length of the dam, but also due to the fact that at the Friesland shore end the water depth varies from 11 to 33 feet. The foundation of the great dam will be, literally, billions of all sizes of tree branches, lashed together into great bundles. These will be sunk, forming a supporting mat of enormous area. Upon this will be placed a thick layer of coarse crushed stone, and on this powerful foundation will be reared the masonry of the dike.

## Plant Diseases Costly.

Millions of bushels of grain, fruit and vegetables and a big tonnage of cotton were lost to American farmers last year by plant diseases, according to figures compiled by the plant disease survey of the Department of Agriculture. The survey said that the statistics indicate that lack of prompt application of known measures of control was largely the cause of the loss. The plant disease survey estimated the losses at 112,000,000 bushels of wheat, 50,000,000 bushels of oats, 80,000,000 bushels of corn, 50,000,000 bushels of potatoes, 40,000,000 bushels of sweet potatoes, 185,000 tons of tomatoes, 850,000 bales of cotton, 5,000,000 bushels of peaches and 16,000,000 bushels of apples.

## Tuberculosis Ebbs and Flows.

The decline of tuberculosis is likened to that of leprosy by Dr. Louis Corbett, lecturer in pathology at the University of Cambridge. Leprosy was formerly one of the world's great scourges, but has become practically extinct in western countries. Tuberculosis seems to be following, as it is declining at an increasing rate, its deaths having fallen off nearly 60 per cent since 1865. Apparent causes of the change are lessened overcrowding, otherwise improved social conditions, more and better food, and the adoption of methods of real ventilation. The war has given tuberculosis a new lease of life in European nations, especially in half-starved Austria, where it runs riot.

## "Polite" Motor Horn.

The magazine Motor announces the arrival of the courteous motor horn. Up to now the motor horn has been decidedly uncourteous. It squeaks unpleasantly; it hollers alarmingly; it utters noises disagreeably suggestive of nausea.

But the new horn, which is appearing on the market, has a tone that is at once polite and powerful. It warns, yet does not offend the sensitive ear. The tone-adjusting mechanism is so contrived and arranged that the horn is easily regulated for any degree of vociferousness, but it yet carries a warning to the pedestrian.

## On Their Mettle.

"The head waiter and his assistants are flustered." "I've noticed that." "And there seems to be great excitement in the kitchen." "What do you suppose is the matter?"

"A visiting chef has just dropped in and offered a seven-course dinner."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

## The Wrong Course.

"Dawdle says that he's had chances enough, but they were all poor ones." "I've noticed that whenever opportunity knocked Dawdle proceeded to knock the opportunity."—Boston Transcript.

## Official Court Directory.

Circuit Judge Peter H. Huck  
Presiding Judge Thos. B. Straghan  
Associate Judge, Dist. 1 Vicent Valleroy.  
Associate Judge, Dist. 2 John Gordon  
Circuit Clerk Felix J. Rigdon  
Recorder of Deeds Felix J. Rigdon  
County Clerk A. A. Baumgartner  
Probate Judge Frank J. Siebert  
Sheriff Lawrence I. Siebert  
Collector Wm. P. Huck  
Assessor Louis Donze  
Treasurer Joseph H. Rehm  
Prosecuting Atty C. J. Stanton  
County Supt. of Schools Miss Vivian Gaty

Co. Surveyor Henry Nations  
Coroner Leo Basler  
Public Administrator Leo S. Yealy  
Judge Juvenile Court Geo. Steigle

## THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT, meets on fourth Monday in April and October.

COUNTY COURT, meets on first Monday in May, August, November and February.

PROBATE COURT, meets on 2nd Monday in May, August, November and February.

## CITY OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Mayor, F. A. Weiler.  
Aldermen 1st Ward, Bernard Grieshaber and Harry Rehm.  
Aldermen 2nd Ward, Simon DuRocher and Leon C. Vorst.  
Aldermen 3rd Ward, George Stapp and Gottlieb Rehm.  
President of Board Gottlieb Rehm.  
Clerk, Henry Rozier, Jr.  
Collector, John Harter.  
Marshal, Robt. Abernathy.  
City Attorney, C. J. Stanton.  
Board's regular meeting, second Monday of each month.

## PROBATE COURT DOCKET.

REGULAR FEBRUARY TERM 1921.

MONDAY, FEB. 14, 1921.  
Walter J. Irwin, Mr. Sophia V. Irwin, Guar. E. I. Huber, Mr. John F. Bartels, Guar. Leona Huber, Mr. John F. Bartels, Guar. Louis Huber, Mr. John F. Bartels, Guar. Genevieve Huber, Mr. John F. Bartels, Guar.

TUESDAY, FEB. 15, 1921.  
Louis J. Schaaf, Mr. Walter L. Schaaf Guar.

Joseph Fleg, et al., Mr. Louis Kern, Guar. Henry Dallas, Mr. Emil Siebert, Guar. Bert C. Turley, Mr. Nace Turley, Guar. Belle Swan, et al., Mr. W. A. Cunningham, Guar.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 16, 1921.  
Vincent Holst et al., Mr. John Holst, Guar. Miles Board, Mr. Francis E. Board, Adm. Stephen Smith, dec., Ella Smith, Adm.

FRANK J. HUCK, Judge of Probate Court

The process of refining sugar was probably an invention of the Arabs. A Venetian merchant learned the secret from the Saracens of Sicily, and sold the secret of the art for one hundred thousand crowns.

## A Good Medicine For the Grip.

George W. Waitt, South Gardiner, Me., relates his experience with the grip. "I had the worse cough, cold and grip and had taken a lot of trash of no account. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done me any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the cold and grip have left me."

Eight and one-half per cent of all deaths in this country are attributed to heart disease.

## FARMS FOR SALE

152 acres of land two miles South of Ste. Genevieve on Main Public Highway in the county. 75 acres under cultivation, 77 acres in large oak timber estimated to saw from 7,000 to 10,000 feet of lumber per acre, all tillable land when cleared. No rocks, lime stone soil, considered the best timber land in the county. No waste timber. Timber can be sawed into lumber and cut into cord wood, and can be sold for the highest market price within two mile of land and no waste land. Price reasonable and easy terms on part. Will subdivide into two tracks are sell the whole. No buildings. Call on me and I will direct you how to find land.

## ILLINOIS FARM FOR SALE.

515 acres, all Mississippi river bottom land, in Randolph County, Ill., opposite Ste. Genevieve, Mo., two miles from Modoc, good trading town, two miles from Iron Mountain R. R. Depot, one mile from school 375 acres under cultivation, in alfalfa, wheat, timothy and corn, some in pasture, all tillable land when cleared. No waste land. Four sets of modern buildings in first-class repair, well and cistern water and some fruit with each set of buildings. Houses have five and six rooms. Large barns and large hay barn. Is on main public highway in county. Excellent shipping facilities by rail road and boat. This land is located in the American bottom, Worlds richest agricultural country. Corn and alfalfa never fails. This is an opportunity to buy a good farm at a reasonable price and part on easy terms. Will subdivide land into four farms. This land is owned by an estate and they have put a low price on this land for a quick sale. Call on me and I will direct you how to find land.

JOHN HERTER, Ste. Genevieve, Mo. adv

The cost of the trip of the American naval balloon, A-5598, from Rockaway to Moose Factory cost the United States Government \$8,740.

Our government hospitals contain more than 20,000 veterans of the late war and that number has been increasing for several months at the rate of about 1,000 a month.

## Effects of Constipation.

Constipation causes a stoppage of the sewerage system of the body. The poisons refuse matter that should be carried away is retained in the system and often poisons the blood and causes numerous disorders. No one can afford to neglect his bowels. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will afford relief. Avoid drastic cathartics as they take too much water out of the system and their use is likely to be followed by constipation. adv

Excitement in the community of Rees Springs in Stone County, is running high on account of the prospects of a gold boom in that town. Arrangements are already made for the erection of a \$75,000 stamp mill.

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